

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:**

**Please amend paragraph [0001] of the originally-filed specification as follows:**

[0001] This application for letters patent is related to and incorporates by reference United States patent application serial number 10/284,135, titled “DEVICE DETECTION AND SERVICE DISCOVERY SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR A MOBILE AD HOC COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK”, and filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on October 31, 2002. This application for letters patent is also related to and incorporates by reference United States continuation-in-part patent application serial number 10/662,407, titled “DEVICE DETECTION AND SERVICE DISCOVERY SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR A MOBILE AD HOC COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK”, and filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on September 16, 2003. This application for letters patent is also related to and incorporates by reference United States patent application serial number 10/662,469, titled “APPLICATION CONTROL IN PEER-TO-PEER AD-HOC COMMUNICATION NETWORKS”, and filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on September 16, 2003. The assignee is the same in this patent application and the related patent applications.